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Re: Boeing Plant 2 Corrective Measure – 40 C.F.R. § 761.61(a) Notification and Certification of self-implementing procedure for the disposal of concrete construction debris with PCB concentrations less than 50 parts per million.

Dear Mr. Verhaar:

This letter is in response to your notice of self-implementing procedures to establish a disposal pathway for polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) remediation waste from Boeing Plant 2, submitted to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10 (EPA) on April 9, 2013. This PCB remediation waste is associated with work being conducted under an Administrative Order on Consent issued pursuant to the Resource Recovery and Conservation Act (RCRA) for the Duwamish Sediment Other Area and Southwest Bank Corrective Measure (Docket no. 1092-01-22-3008(h)) (Boeing Order).

As documented in your letter, the self-implementing procedures are proposed to establish an off-site disposal pathway for PCB remediation waste consisting of concrete debris to be generated from demolition of a concrete slab associated with the former 2-40s Buildings. EPA understands that Boeing has documented that concrete debris from this demolition activity will have as-found total PCB concentrations less than 50 parts per million. This demolition will be part of South Shoreline Work Elements within the Duwamish Sediment Other Area and Southwest Bank Corrective Measure and Habitat Project, and will be conducted in advance of related Shoreline Work Elements that are expected to be subject to a separate written approval pursuant to 40 Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.) § 761.61(c).

EPA has reviewed your notice and is hereby providing written approval to establish a disposal pathway for the concrete debris PCB remediation wastes according to 40 C.F.R. § 761.61(a)(5)(v)(A). All other aspects of the concrete slab demolition must be conducted in accordance with the Duwamish Sediment Other Area and Southwest Bank Corrective Measure and, where applicable, the requirements of 40 C.F.R. Part 761.

Should you have any questions or comments, please contact Dave Bartus at (206) 553-2804, or Bartus.dave@epa.gov.

Sincerely,



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